115 YEARS OLD, STRONG AND HEALTHY.

Alexander Ferguson, of Gillman, Ind., is in his 115th year, and is vigorous, hale and hearty. He uses Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, and says that it keeps him strong, makes him active, gives him undisturbed rest at night, a good appetite and perfect digestion.

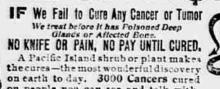
DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY

Is a food aiready digested. It sustains the heat of the body, it builds up the tissues, and thereby checks waste and decay.



"I am now going on my Hith year and I of as strong as my youngest son, who is ow past 35. I have worked hard all my life now past 38. I have worked hard all my life and have not given up work yet. Some years are I began taking DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY, and know this great medicine has prolonged my life. Before taking DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY I did not sleep well. Now I have perfect rest at night. Every morning and every evening I take it and I always have good appetite and refrect digestion. It is the greatest medicine ever made for old toks, and we always have a bottle of it in the house."—Alexander Ferguson, Giliman, Ind.

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on people you can see and talk with. Any lump or sore on the lip, face or anywhere six months is Cancer nearly

ANY LUMP IN A WOMAN'S BREAST IS CANCER

It does not pain until almost past cure, and if neglected it always poisons the deep glands in armpit and side, then it is often too late and still no pain. Poor cured free if Cancer is very small. E SURE to get our 120-page book, sent free, with symptoms, addresses and tesmonlab of thousands cured, and write to them. DR. and MRS. DR. CHAMLEY & CO., "Strictly Reliable."
ST. LOUIS, MO. PLEASE SEND THIS TO SOME ONE WITH CANCER.

ROCK ISLAND MAY ACQUIRE ATCHISON, new equipment and for the constitution of other railroads." Inasmuch as the total amount of outstanding Rock Island bonds that will make the constitution of other railroads.

Explain Proposed Bond Issue of \$250,000,000.

PRESENT DEBT IS \$30,000,000.

With Direct and Independent Outlet in San Francisco, the System Would Be the Greatest in Existence.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Aug. 1-Rumors that the financiers in control of the Rock Island system are planning to acquire the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad are revived by the official announcement that the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Rallway Company will vote, on October 8, on a proposition to issue long-term

consolidated bonds to the amount of \$20,-It is announced in the company's circular that these new bonds may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors may

It is furthermore stated that these bonds day.

Report Grows Out of Efforts to of the proposed \$250,000,000 band issue is de-

Representatives of Rock Island are non-committal regarding the current rumors, and only say that it is not the purpose of the company to issue any large proportion of the new bonds at one time. Influential directors of the Atchison are most positive in their statements that no change in the control of that property is likely to be effected.

HERD OF COWS CAUSED WRECK.

Two Men Seriously Injured in Accident Near Crosno.

Charleston, Mo., Aug. 1.-A northbound through freight on the Belmont branch ran into a bunch of cows last night near Three cows were killed, nine cars were wrecked and about a quarter of a mile of wrecked and about a quarter of a mile of track torn up.

William Bryant suffered the fracture of both arms and was injured internally. He may die. John Meyer's leg was broken. Both men are brakemen and were taken to the company's hospital at St. Louis to-

COOKING

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subject of several interesting and instructive

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leading exponent of the Art of Cooking "Right." Miss Clarke is thoroughly informed in every branch of the culinary art, and she has had the advantage of a long connection with the Boston School of

ON A GAS RANGE



MISSOURI BOY'S BRILLIANT RECORD MAY WIN PROMOTION

Army Expects That Captain John J. Pershing, Soon to Arrive in America on His Way to Washington, Will Be Made Brigadier General, in Recognition of the Diplomatic and Military Victories Achieved in the Island of Mindanao-Only American to Enter a Moro Fortress Without a Fight, and Natives Make Him a Datto Under the Koran.



CAPTAIN JOHN J. PERSHING.

Omaha, Neb., July 31 -Captain John J., consecrated a datto by the law and rites Pershing of the Fifteenth Cavalry will arrive in San Francisco from Manila in a few days, and on his way thence to Washington to report for duty as a member of the General Staff of the army, will stop in Omaha for a brief visit with old-time friends, and eral Staff of the army, will step in the first state of the first stat

island into close communication with the coast.

In every respect his campaign has been singularly brilliant and successful, and for months the results of it have been referred to almost daily in the press reports from the Philippines. Last spring Major General George W. Davis, commanding the Division of the Philippines, sent to the Adjutant General of the Army the following report of a battle between the United States troops and the Moros in the Island of Mindao:

CAPTURED TEN FORTS.

"Captain John J. Pershing, Fifteenth Cav-

"Captain John J. Pershing, Fifteenth Cavairy, has completed a circuit of Lake Lango alty, has completed a circuit of Lake Lamao via the east coast, from Capo Vicars. Had a sharp fight at Taraca. Captured ten forts, many prisoners thirty-six lantacas and sixty rifles. All other Dattos friendly, Liberated prisoners, destroyed hostile forts and lantacas. Our loss, two killed and four wounded. Every hostile Lamao Datto has now been chastised. All Moros know our friendship is valuable, and freely extended to all who deserve it. No property, save hostile forts, has been molested. Troops returning to Vicars via the west coast. Moros are eager for employment on the roads and the shelter buddings; former about finished; the latter progressing rapidly. Troops have behaved splendidly, not only in contending with a fanatical foe, but a dreaded disease, and, besides, had to construct many miles of road through tropical jungle. No more hostilities are anticipated beyond occasional snipling."

May Il the Secretary of War sent the following dispatch to General Davis:

"I congratulate you on the work done in Mindanao. Express to Captain Pershing and the officers and men under his command the thanks of the War Department for their able and effective accomplishment of a difficult and important task."

Following this Brigadier Samuel S. Sumner, commanding the Department of Mandano, issued an order congratulating Captain Pershing on the success of his recent campaign.

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tain Pershing on the success of his recent campaign.

The difficulties attending Captain Pershing's campaign in the Island of Mindanao and the significance of what he has accomplished are perhaps not much understood in the United States, owing to the fact that the press reports have conveyed no adequate idea of the situation there. Some light is thrown upon the matter by a letter from Major General Davis to the Adjutant General of the army. Writing from Manila under date of February B of the current year, General Davis says:

CHARACTERISTICS OF LEADER

CHARACTERISTICS OF LEADER. "The situation in one respect has been anomalous, the assignment of a Captain to so large and important a command as that

mand and has been continued in it since by General Summer."

In his letter General Davis relates the receipt of the news of the old Pandita at Bayan, and says he regards his submission, which was brought about by Captain Pershing, as of great importance. He also tells of the value of the roads constructed by Captain Pershing, and goes on to say:

"I feel much gratified at the fruits borne by this policy, and now that this influential priest, a rebellious religious leader for Malanao, has made and received a visit and professed friendship, our task is simplified, and continuation of the policy should present only easy obstacles to be surmounted.

ST. LOUIS, MO.

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FIRED SHRAPNEL SALUTE. "The American flag was holsted over the fort and saluted in an impressive manner. fort and sauted in an impressive manner. Pershing had no saluting ammuniton, but loaded his cannon with live shrapnel, and, warning the Moros to keep out of range of the pieces, fired a salute that was genuine. The correspondent says that the salute of shrapnel had a wonderful effect on the Moros. When the flag went to the staff on the fort the infrarry and cayalry presented.

fort the infantry and cavalry presented the fort the infantry and cavalry presented arms."

Captain Pershing is a native of Linn County, Missouri, and his boyhood was spent in the little town of Lactede, in that county, It was from the congressional district of which Linn County then formed a part that he was appointed to West Point in the early cighties. In 1835 he was graduated from West Point, and thereafter he served as Second Lieutenant in the Sixth Cavalry and First Lieutenant in the Tenth Cavalry, taking part in the campaigns against the Apaches and Navajos in Arizona and New Mexico, from 1836 to 1839 with General Chaffee, and under General Miles in the campaign against the Sioux in 1830.

in 1890.

Meantime Captain Pershing's parents had removed from Missouri to Lincoln, Neb., and when, in 1891, the handsome young soldier was tendered the office of professor of military science at the Nebraska State University he promptly accepted it, remaining there for four years.

He at once became immensely popular with the students at the university, and made his department one of the most popular and prominent in the institution. While he was at the university Captain Pershing devoted his spare moments to study of the law, and in 1895 he was admitted to the bar.

Soon after the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, Captain Pershing went to

Soon after the outbreak of the Spanish-American war. Capitain Pershing went to the Philippines, and his record there is now a matter of history. Capitain Pershing is regarded in army cir-cles as one of the brightest and most prom-ising young officers in the service, and his promotion to a Brigadier Generalship would be hailed with deep satisfaction by his fel-low-officers.

* PEKIN JOURNALIST LOSES HIS HEAD. :

Pekin, Aug. 1.-A Pekin journalist .

REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Washington, August 1—Army orders were issued to-day as follows:
First Lieurenant John B. Shuman, Tenth Infantry, is relived from further treatment at the Army and Nary General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., and will proceed to Port D. A. Russell, Wy., for treatment by the Past Surgeon.
Captain Joseph S. Herron, Second Cavairy, is relieved from duty in the office of the Adjusting General of the grany, to take effect upon the expiration of his present leave, and will then Join his reclinent. fration of me Property of the Philippines, and will a relieved from duty in the Philippines, and will plified, and continuation of the policy should present only easy obstacles to be surmounted."

So diplomatic has been the policy pursued by Captain Pershing that the natives of the Island of Mindanao have come to look upon him with great respect and reverence. Not long ago he was made a datto with the full Mohammedan ceremony. Referring to this interesting event the Manila Times of a few months ago said:

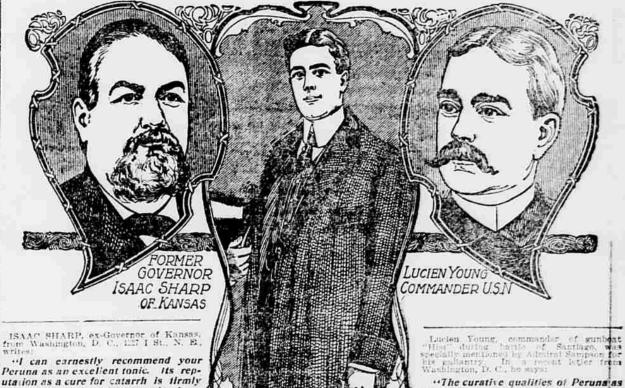
PERSHING MADE A DATTO.

"Captain Pershing, commander of the American forces at Lake Lanao, has been did not be surmounted."

Military Academy. West Point, for duty at the Academy. Heat of the Academy. Heat Captain the He

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Indorse the World's Famous Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.



utation as a cure for catarrh is tirmly established by my friends who have been benefited by its use, and the public should know of its great curative qualities."-Isaac Sharp.

Congressman Powers, from Vermont. Congression H. Henry Powers of Ver-mont writes from Morrisville, Vt.: "Peruna I have used in my family with success I can recommend it as an excellent family remedy and very good for coughs, colds and catarrhal affections,"—H. Henry

Register of Treasury Judson W. Lyons.

Hon Judson W. Lyons, Register of the United States Treasury, in a letter from Washington, D. C., says:
"I find beruma to be an excellent remedy for the catarrhal affections of spring and summer, and those who suffer from depression from the heat of the summer will find no remedy the equal of Peruna."—Judson W. Lyons.

Senator Butler, from South Carolina.

Senator M. C. Butler, U. S. Senator from South Carolina, two terms, writes from Washington D. C., the following:

"I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period, and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine, and besides a great tonic."

John L. Burnet, Membes

M. C. Butler.

John L. Burnet, Member of Congress,
Seventh Alabama District, writes:

"I take pleasure in testifying to the
merits of your Peruna. At the solicitation
of a friend my wife used it, and it improved
her condition generally. It is a remarkable
remedy. I can cheerfully recommend Pe-

runa as a good, substantial tonic and a very good calarrh remedy."—John L. Burnett, Hon. Spencer Flackburn, Member of Con-gress from North Carolina, in a recent let-ter to The Peruna Medicine Co., says:

CONGRESSMAN S.BLACKBURN

suits." - Spencer Blackburn. Congressman Brookshire, from Indiana. Congressman E. V. Brookshire, from Indiana, in a recent letter from Washington

From what my friends say Peruna is : good tonic a Brookshire. and a safe catarrh cure."-E. Senator Mallory, from Florida.

leges that every count in the indictments is

fatally defective in that it fails to show

ernment at the time the offenses alleged

were committed. Machen withdrew a plea-

SOVEREIGNS EXPECTED.

Chitty to Remain at Columbia.

Called to Lincoln, Ill.

MES. SUSANNAH WILLIAMS.

Salem, Ill., Aug. 1.—Mrs. Susannah Cameron Williams, aged 81 years, wife of Eider John A. Williams, died this morning, leaving her husband and two daughters. Mrs. Mary J. Tracy of Odin and Mrs. Samuel R. Carrigan of Carrigan. She was born in Orange County, Indiana, February 13, 1820. Her married life with Eider Williams of the Christian Church extended over a period of sixty years.

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CREAT GATHERING OF

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

cadets.

It is a well known feet that the gunboat list! was more effective in destroying the orpedo destroyers of the Spanish fleet than my other vessel. Congressman Sparkman, from Florida.

Young.

a cure for catarrh have been fully established by the use of the same most suc-

cessfully by many of my acquaintances, and I can recommend any one who is so afflicted to try it." - Lucien

Congressman S M. Sparkman, from Tam-pa, Florida, writes: "I can indorse P ruon as a first rate tonic and a very effective cure for catarrh." -S.

"I cheerfully lain my friend Senatur Pritchard in commending Peruna as a very effective remeay for coughs, colds united States are recommending Peruna. Over tilty members of Congress runa. Over tilty members of Congress runa. Over tilty members of Congress runa. Scores of other Government officials speak in high praise of it. Thousands of people in the humbler walks of life rely upon it as a family medicine. Send for free book of testimonials.

As a systemic catarrh remedy Peruna eradicates estarrh from the system, wher-ever it may be located. It cures catarrh of the stomach or bowels with the same cer-tainty as catarrh of the head.

United States Senator Stephen R. Mallory, from Florids, in a recent letter written from Pensacola, Fla., says the following:

"I have used your excellent remedy, Peruna, and can recommend it both as a tonic and a safe catarrh remedy."—Stephen R. Mallory.

Limity as catarrh of the head.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

be treated according to the evidence. A son of John T. Cupper, the Mayor of Lockhaven, Pa., telephoned to-day that Cupper would come to this city to surrender in court Monday. Counsel for August W. Machen to-day filed in the Criminal Court a demurrer to the former indictments of Machen. It al-

Judge Advocate General Confers that Machen was an officer of the Gov-With Secretary Root About the Glove Contracts.

Congressman Littauer and His Attorneys Appear Before Department Officials to Explain Their Point of View.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Judge Advocate General Davis, of the George of Greece have already prom-Washington, Aug. 1 - Secretary Root and army, had a short conference this morning in regard to the Garlington report on the Littauer investigation. It transpired that General Davis is of the

opinion that the law has been violated, and that Colonel Garlington's statement of the facts, when duly considered, together with the documents and other papers brought out in the Lyon bankruptcy proceedings, and published by the newspapers shows that Representative Littauer's connection with Edmund R. Lyon, the glove and gauntlet contractor, was something more than an ordinary business transaction It was asserted by Mr. Littauer that he sold gloves and gauntlets to Lyon, as a manufacturer would to a jobber.

The opinion submitted to Secretary Root this morning by the Judge Advocate General of the army does not support this statement. On the contrary, it is General Davis's opinion that Garlington's investi-gation has disclosed that Representative Littauer and Contractor Lyon were both in terested in the Government contracts made by the Quartermaster General for gloves and gauntlets for the soldlers.

no evidence to show that the army officers making the contracts were at all aware of Representative Littauer's relations with Mr.

It was said at the War Department to-day that General Davis does not find that there was violation of the law in each contract made by Lyon for supplying the army with gioves and gantlets, but that at least one

so large and important a command as that
of Vicars, but it was, in my opinion, absointely indispensable that the man to command on the spot should possess certain
qualities not easy to find combined in one
men-capacity for command, physical and
mental vigor, infinite patience in dealing
with these fanalical semisavages, discretion, a serious desire to accomplish the
work set for him and knowledge of the
More character.

"It was easy to find field officers possessing some of the characteristics and qualifications above mentioned, but there was no
available officer of rank known to me in
the Seventh Separate Brigade whose endowments embraced all the requisites.

"Captain Pershing was the senior in his
grade in the Fifteenth Cavalry. He had
made two visits to the lake from his station
at Iligan and had shown great tact and
good judgment in dealing with the Malagrade, I ordered him to report to me at Vicars, and when General Baldwin left as
senior Captain present he succeeded to command and has been continued in tisince by
General Sumner."

Orders Affecting Army Officers.

Republic Specials

Washington, August 1—Army orders were issued to-day. The evidence at the trial was
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to so weak that he probably would have
been acquitted, but the prisoner admitted the charge that he had attempted to organize a rebellion at
the Government for the repayment of
money pald to Lyon by the Government of
the Government for the mand Littauer that will justify a demand by
the Government for the purchases in that contract.

Should Secretary Root uphold this opinion
there will be no delay in making a demand upon the contractor for repayment. This
will bring the case into the civil courts, as
Lyon will, it is believed, refuse to institute proceedings at law to recover.
It will then be for the court to determine
whether or not the law has been violated.

Representative Littauer, Edward Lauterback of the was holds and the contract shows transactions and Littauer that will justify a demand by
t the War Department for a hearing before

Secretary Root. This afternoon they had a prolonged con ference with the Secretary and Judge Advocate General Davis, but declined to state with what result.

PAYNE SAYS INVESTIGATION HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED

Washington, Aug. 1 .- Postmaster General Payne resumed his official duties at the department to-day. He says he feels much improved from his trip.

Mr. Payne said it could not be said by any means that the investigation was ended. He pointed out that the Inspectors are working in various parts of the country. Mr. Payne declared that every one against

whom any evidence has been found would DEATH TAKES JETT WITNESS.

Mountaineer Was an Expert Rifle and Pistol Shot.

Cynthiana, Ky., Aug. 1.-Goolee Combs. one of the witnesses for the prosecution in the Jett and White case, now on trial here, died to-day of appendicitis. He was one of the most expert rifle and pistol shots in the mountains of Bastern Kentucky. He was sentenced for life for killing Mr. Rose, at Clay City, but was pardoned after serving some years.

The demurrer to indictment for bribery Army Orders. against Diller B. and Samuel A. Groff, in REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Aug. 1.—The following-named efficiers are detailed to enter the class at the General Service and Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kas., September I, and will report to the commandant of the codege on that date: First Lieutenant Robert Brambila. Fourteenth Indianty. First Lieutenants Edwin Leavenworth Indianty. First Lieutenants Edwin Leavenmant R. D. Smith. First Lieutenants Edwin Leavenmant R. D. Smith. First Canalty. First Lieutenants Frederick C. Johnson, Robert J. Heaney and Henry W. Parker. Second Cavalry; First Lieutenant Courad S. Babcook and Second Lieutenant Dendenant Fred E. House, Lieutenant Courad S. Babcook and George B. Rodney and Second Lieutenant Frederick Mears. Fifth Cavalry; Second Lieutenants Uney Place. Stirges and George B. Rodney and Second Lieutenant Frederick Mears. Fifth Cavalry; Second Lieutenants Uney Place. Rainh Miller and Edward A. Keys. Sixth Cavalry; First Lieutenants Lawrence S. Carson and Hugh Kitkman and Second Lieutenant Leavence S. Carson and Hugh Kitkman and Second Lieutenant James E. Fechet and Second Lieutenant William M. Haskell, Ninth Cavalry; First Lieutenant William Second Lieutenant George C. Martin, Second Lieutenant Mart of Conner, Tenth Cavalry; First Lieutenant William L. Reed and Harry E. Kribith, and Second Lieutenant Ward Dabney, First Lieutenants Kirwin T. Smith and Henry G. Stahl, and First Lieutenants Cavalry; First Lieutenant Cavalry; First Lieutenants Kirwin T. Smith and Henry G. Stahl, and First Lieutenants George A. Wiccorek and First Lieutenant George C. Martin, Second Infantry; First Lieutenants Kirwin T. Smith and Henry G. Stahl, and First Lieutenants Cavalry; First Lieutenants Cavalry; First Lieutenants Kirwin T. Smith and Henry G. Stahl, and First Lieutenants Cavalry; First Lieutenants George J. Holden, E. H. Cooke and G.S. Turner, Tenth Infantry; First Lieutenants George J. Holden, E. H. Cooke and G.S. Turner, Tenth Washington, Aug. 1.-The following-named of-Like Machen, the Groff brothers withdrew ers are detailed to enter the class at the Gentheir plea of not guilty, and say every ◆ Darmstadt, Hesse, Aug. 1.—A great ◆ gathering of sovereigns is expected ◆ · here on the occasion of the wedding · of Prince Andrew of Greece to Prin cess Alice of Battenberg. The Czar, Emperor William, King Elward, ◆
 King Christian of Denmark and King ◆ E++++++++++++++ Chity to Remain at Communication of the Columbia, Mo. Aug. 1.—Captain W. D. Chitty, who had asked for a transfer to rejoin his regiment at Jefferson Barracks, has withdrawn his request, and will remain at the State University as commandant of Bloomington, III, Aug. 1—Bids were opened to-day for the erection of five cottages at the Soldiers Crphans' Home. The successful bidder was H. W. Kerrison of Normal, for \$21.107.50, not including the plumbing or heating. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Iuku, Ill., Aug. 1.—The Reverend T. F. Kerr, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Iuka, has been called to the charge at Lincoln, Ill.

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